

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2861

03560.003396

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: L.D. Nguyen
MAKOTO SHIOYA)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2861
Application No.: 10/714,640)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 2529
Filed: November 18, 2003)	
	:	
For: RECORDING METHOD AND)	September 20, 2006
RECORDING APPARATUS	:	
CAPABLE OF REDUCING)	
STREAKS AND UNEVENNESS	:	
IN IMAGE DENSITY)	

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated August 24, 2006, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: